

MUST FILL RANKS OF ARMY and THE NATIONAL GUARD

MUST BRING WAR TO SUCCESSFUL FINISH

Even if You Are Registered, Don't
Wait to be Drafted, Enlist Now
as a Volunteer

"This Country Has Too Many Flag Wavers and
Not Enough Rifle Bearers," Said
Lieutenant Mallette

(By Lieutenant Irie Mallette)

It is indeed hard for the people who are familiar with the situation in Europe to understand why the ranks of the Regular Army and National Guard are not being filled.

It is believed by military men that the people as a whole are not awake to the true situation.

First: It makes no difference whether or not we want war. The fact remains that we HAVE war. The proposition now is to bring the war to a successful conclusion, as soon as possible, with the least expenditure of man and money. Let no one be deceived by believing that the situation is not serious.

Experts say that the war will start next spring. The Allied Armies are holding their lines. How long will they be able to hold them? If they are able to hold them until spring, we will have a force in Europe that can begin operations against the enemy. But the point is, no one knows whether or not they can hold the lines that long.

Is there any thinking person who doubts the consequences if the Germans break through the Allied lines in a successful offensive? The story can be told in three words: Paris—London—New York. In other words we must either fight this war in Europe or here. I hope I have made it plain that it is absolutely necessary that the United States send an Army to France now.

The Regular Army and National Guard are the first line troops that must do this. Do you know that these regiments are, on account of a shortage of men, not up to war strength?

It is up to you Mr. Eligible Man, to enlist; and it is up to you Mr. Un-eligible Man, to see that the Eligible Man does enlist.

Some public spirited citizens of Brainerd have taken it upon themselves to help in this work. If you wish to help, call up Lieutenant Mallette, T. S. 6028 and ask what you can do in the matter.

In the meantime I appeal to the manhood of Brainerd to join the colors. Even if you are registered, don't wait to be drafted. Enlist as a volunteer.

At this time when we need men most, we cannot draft men for the Army and National Guard. If you are registered or not registered, volunteer to perform your duty. Don't talk about what you are going to do and when. Do it and do it now.

This country has too many flag wavers and not enough rifle bearers. We only need two men in each regiment to carry flags; we need two thousand to carry guns.

Your patriotic arguments sound better if you are in uniform. You must consider yourself in one of three ways—Registered, waiting for call; uneligible, that it is a position where the overment would rather have you work at home than at the front, as a man in ill health or with dependents; or a SLACKER; and a registered man who is eligible should certainly enlist now while he has a choice of organization and a better chance for promotion.

The Army Recruiting Station in the Best theatre building is accepting recruits for the Regular Army and the National Guard.

Go there and pick your organization and arm of service, something

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LETTER TO BE SENT TO ALL ELIGIBLES

Vital Importance of Government's
Call for Volunteers is Made Plain
In Communication

VOLUNTEER AT ONCE FOR DUTY

Consider this Seriously and Enroll as
one of the Roll of Honor Be-
fore July 4th

Acting under the advice and instructions of the Public Safety Commission of Crow Wing county, a special committee named by the director to make plain the vital importance of the government's call for volunteers, has issued the following letter, which will be sent to all eligibles in the city and locality:

Dear Sir:
The visit of Capt. Ned Green of the Regular Army to Brainerd and his talk before the citizens made some things very plain and I believe put the matter of the government's call for troops in an entirely different light.

On July Fourth, a public demonstration of those who volunteer between now and that time will be held in Brainerd. The man who registers now but does not wait to be drafted and volunteers his services at this time will have, first: the distinction of having answered his country's call voluntarily, and secondly: the privilege of selecting the branch of the service which he prefers should he go into the Army or National Guard.

Should he go into the Regular Army or National Guard he will have the benefit of experienced officers over him, and there are a number of advantages to be gained by offering his services now. In view of the fact that nearly every eligible man who registers, will be drafted and considering the imperative call of the government for troops NOW, is it not up to every man to volunteer his services AT ONCE?

Will you consider this seriously and make an effort to so shape your affairs that you will be able to enroll as one of the Roll of Honor before July the Fourth, thus adding to the great pride that Brainerd feels in her soldier boys and satisfying yourself that you have responded freely to the nation's call?

Respectfully yours,
HONOR ROLL COMMITTEE
Of Crow Wing Co. Public Safety Commission.

Dunn Case will Last all Week

St. Paul, June 25—The Dunn murder case will last all this week and is not expected to go to the jury before Thursday or Friday. Frank J. Dunn will take the stand today.

Congress Adjourns Middle of August

Washington, June 25—Representative Kitchin predicts that congress will adjourn between August 1 and 15.

ADMIRAL FISKE.

Would Destroy German Fleet
by Use of Torpedo Planes.



Photo by American Press Association.

Destruction of the German fleet at its bases by torpedo planes, which he called the most powerful and mobile of weapons, is advocated in a letter from Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, retired, to the board of governors of the Aero Club of America.

Such a weapon, Admiral Fiske declares, would give the allies complete control of the North sea, even the shallow waters along the coast, and would prevent German submarines from leaving German ports.

German Consul Stirs up Trouble Mexico Oil Fields

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—Firm but friendly expressions have been sent to Mexico against the new high taxes in the Tampico oil fields and also other representations against the so called denationalization of foreign companies and the Carranza government informed by the United States that Great Britain also seconded the attitude. The note was friendly in tone but insistent upon lower taxes which many oil men regard as almost confiscatory. The German consul in Tampico has been stirring up trouble.

Wilson Signs Export Control Provision Bill

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—President Wilson signed the export control bill placing in effect an embargo on provisions and to restrict food shipments and commodities to foreign nations. It also creates an executive council to be composed of representatives of the departments of state, agriculture, commerce and food administration to decide all matters of foreign policy.

Mob Lynch Mulatto who Attacked Woman

(By United Press)

Galveston, Texas, June 25—Henry Sawyer, a mulatto charged with attacking a white woman, was lynched by a mob here.

The negroes aroused by the lynching have called a mass meeting, the sheriff and police declaring that any attempt to learn the identity of the lynchers would be futile. The trial of the negro was to have begun today.

Liquor Question Hurles Dismay in Senate Fight

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—The liquor question hurles dismay and uncertainty into the senate fight for food control, the bone dry amendment having upset everything. The dry split to the extent on which prohibition should be inaugurated and the danger of filibuster by the liquor contingent in the upper house is admitted.

Roosevelt Sons go with Pershing to Fight in France

(By United Press)

New York, June 25—Theodore Jr., and Archibald Roosevelt have gone to France attached to Gen. Pershing's staff and Kermit and Quentin will follow soon.

Contracts for More Vessels Let by Goethals

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—Contracts for ten more steel and four wooden vessels were let by Gen. Goethals today, 24 wooden hulls having been contracted for.

Security League Leaders to Organize a Nation-Wide Wake Up America Campaign



Left to right, top row:—Henry J. Allen, editor Wichita Beacon, and Professor A. B. Hart, professor of history at Harvard. Second row:—Mrs. Philip N. Moore of St. Louis, president of the National Council of Women, and Arthur E. Bestor, president of the Chautauqua Institution. Third row:—S. S. Menken, chairman of executive committee of the National Security League, and Professor T. F. Moran of Purdue University.

These members of a committee of the National Security League are hard at work on a plan to send orators over the United States to arouse the people to a better understanding of war and its needs. Final plans for the campaign will be arranged as a conference of all organizations engaged in patriotic education and a speakers' training camp at Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, N. Y. from July 2 to July 7.

BORIS BAKHMETIEFF.

Russia's Special Envoy
Visits Washington's Tomb.



Photo by American Press Association.

LIGHTNING STORM, WORST IN HISTORY

Ten Houses Reported Struck, Four
on Fire,---Charles D. Stowell
Burned by Lightning Bolt

Sitting on Bed at His South Side Home When
Struck, William Stowell also Injured
by Lightning

Governor Defendant in Test Suit Case Closing of Saloons

(By United Press)

St. Paul, June 25—Gov. Burnquist and the members of the public safety commission are defendants in a suit to test their authority for closing saloons from 10 o'clock in the evening until 8 in the morning. Attorney Carey of Minneapolis is bringing the action.

War Chief Strive for 70,000 Recruits and Red Cross Fund

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—70,000 recruits for the regular fighting force and about \$20,000,000 for the Red Cross fund by tonight are the needs the American war chiefs are striving for today.

Believe Taft to be Chief of Supreme Court of Exemptions

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—It is believed that Wm. Taft will be chief of supreme court of exemption organizations.

Six regiments of the national guard field artillery were called out for assignment to training camps.

Charge the Mayor Trampled on Rights of City Council

(By United Press)

Chicago, June 25—The judiciary committee chairman has presented a resolution to the city council calling on Mayor Thompson to resign. The charges are that he ruthlessly trampled on the rights of the council.

Every House Wife Can Give up Third of Wheat She Uses

(By United Press)

Chicago, June 25—Every housewife can give up one-third of the daily portion of wheat she uses by substituting corn flour in her bill of fare, is the declaration of Joseph Griffin president of the Chicago board of trade.

British Freight Steamer is Held Carried One Gun

Chile, June 25—The detention of the British freight steamer Notifions was ordered by the Chilean government because the vessel carried one gun as a defensive armament.

Brainerd was visited early this morning, shortly about midnight, by the most terrific lightning storm in its history. Seventy-three hundred-thirty inches of rain fell.

Three were injured, one seriously, being C. D. Stowell, of 617 South Fourth St., whose left side was badly burned and who is now at the Sisters hospital.

Ten houses were struck in all parts of the city, four being set on fire.

Numerous city transformers are reported burned out, and light and telephone wires are down in places. At 803 Fourth Avenue, Northeast, Alfred Sauvageau and family slept serenely, while the lightning struck and the house blazed into flames, neighbors sending in the alarm at 11:45 p. m. They were rescued, the firemen making a fast run to the scene. The house was burned inside and also smoked up.

At 12:30 a. m., before they had returned to the station, a second alarm came from near 412 Pine Street South where lightning caused a fire.

The home of Fred Kelly, 915 South Tenth street, was struck and Mr. Kelly extinguished the blaze himself.

At 617 South Fourth street three were hurt by the lightning, one seriously, being C. D. Stowell, who was taken to the Sisters hospital. The lightning hit a telephone wire and the house.

The home of T. H. Green, 927 So. Tenth street, was struck, lightning flashing along a telephone wire, striking the house, knocking down plaster and setting fire to the building, which was extinguished by Mr. Green, such report being given the Dispatch by Mr. Green.

The home of Rudolph Engisch, 702 South Fourth street, was struck by lightning.

The home of Rudolph Engisch, 702 South Fourth street, was reported struck by lightning. No one was at the Stowell home, 617 Fourth street south this morning. Mrs. Stowell was at the home of a relative, Charles D. Stowell was at the Sisters hospital. Wm. N. Stowell was not at a hospital, but was still dazed from the shock. The bolt passed through the chimney, plaster was knocked down from the ceiling and a telephone wire burned out from the house to a pole a half a block away. Charles N. Stowell was sitting on a bed at the time the crash came and his whole left side was badly burned.

Strong Fight to Extradite Cocchi

(By United Press)

Rome, June 25—Ambassador Page is to make a strong fight to force the extradition of Alfredo Cocchi, the self confessed murderer of Ruth Cruger, the New York school girl.

American Consuls Await Permission

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—Twelve American consular officers accredited to Turkey with attaches in Constantinople are awaiting individual permission from Vienna to cross Austria-Hungary.

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THE WEATHER
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:
Forecast for the week: There will
be occasional showers, with the tem-
perature somewhat below normal.
Daily forecast: Not much change
in temperature. Occasional showers.
Cooperative observer's record, 6
p. m.:
June 23—Maximum 71, minimum
40.
June 24—Maximum 78, minimum
39. Rainfall .41 inches.
June 25—Minimum during the
night, 50. Rainfall after midnight
last night, .73 inches.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,
gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Both phones, North-
west 74, Automatic 274.

E. R. Niles of Merrifield is in the city.
For spring water phone 264. tf
G. A. Knapp came from Deerwood Monday noon.
Mrs. James Pelkey of Deerwood is visiting in the city.
Miss Harriet Evensta spent the week end at Pillager.
Miss Betty Johnson of Loerch was shopping in the city.
Miss George M. Messer returned today from Deerwood.
See Nettleton for easy paid homes. 10110-2612w
John Mahlum returned this noon from a trip to Duluth.
Mrs. Anton Mahlum is visiting relatives in Grand Forks.
Ben and John Ackerman of Pine River were in Brainerd today.
Purity Ice Cream Co. Both Phones, N.W. 727, Tri-State 6268. tf
Mrs. J. P. Anderson and children returned Monday from Nisewa.
Paul M. Hale of Deerwood was in the city on real estate matters.
Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brody returned this noon from Cullen Lake Park.
Insurance, houses, lots, loans, lands. Cash or easy terms. See Nettleton. 6110-2512w
Sam Parker returned Monday from Merrifield where he spent Sunday.
Mrs. P. B. Anderson and Mrs. Frank Kotel are visiting in Hansel, N. D.
Mrs. Henry Krause and daughter Margaret are visiting friends in St. Cloud.
For Sale. Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Prices right. Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper Block 2411f
Mrs. Elot Carlson returned home today from a visit with her parents in Wadena.
Judge W. C. White and party of friends motored today from Deerwood to Brainerd.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ghills of Fargo, N. D. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Simpson.
Mrs. M. E. Morrison and all except one daughter are visiting in Virginia, Minn.
Mrs. Renius Johnson and child-

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ren returned today from a week end visit in Deerwood.
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line welding go to Herbert Peterson
at the Woodhead Motor Co. garage. 131f
Mrs. John A. Hoffbauer and child-
ren are visiting her parents in South
Long lake township.
Miss Ella Brown, guest of Mrs. Ed.
Hall has returned to her home in Al-
toona, Pennsylvania.
If you want to save money on a
car, attend Woodhead Motor Com-
pany's Used Car sale Saturday, June
30th. 1916
Miss Ruth Dahlstedt, guest of
friends, returned this afternoon to
her home in Ironton.
Jud LaMoire Sr., of Backus, and
Jud LaMoire, Jr., of Pembina, N. D.,
are in the city today.
J. R. Mills, roadmaster of the Min-
nesota & International railway, came
from Bemidji this noon.
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domestic rugs cleaned by same pro-
cess used by makers of oriental rugs.
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H. B. Smith of St. Paul, president
of the Northern Pacific Beneficial as-
sociation, was in the city.
Mrs. J. C. Campbell, aunt of Mrs.
Charles Risk, visited Mr. and Mrs.
Risk, returning home today.
Mrs. D. W. Woolsey, guest of her
daughter, Mrs. C. L. Mott, has return-
ed to her home in Minneapolis.
Mrs. F. S. Lyon of Bemidji is the
guest of Mrs. Thomas Beare and Mrs.
N. H. Ingersoll at Idylwilde, Hubert.
Mrs. Lewis Dunn, guest of her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cullen, has re-
turned to her home in Minneapolis.
Dr. W. Courtney and Geo. D. La-
Bar went to Staples this afternoon by
auto in the interest of Red Cross
work.
Mrs. F. W. Wieland returned Sat-
urday from Sycamore, Ill., where she
has been visiting relatives for some
time.
John Willis went to Boone, Iowa,
today for a short vacation. His father,
Tom Willis, accompanied him as far
as St. Paul.
Mrs. J. E. Wheelan, who has been a
guest of her daughter, Mrs. Mal D.
Clark, returned this afternoon to her
home in St. Paul.
Motoring from Aitkin to Brainerd
Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gal-
arneault, John F. Galarneault, Miss
Tean and F. R. Heft.
Ira Overly went to Crosby today.
Mrs. L. M. Keop of Jamestown, N.
D., guest of relatives in the city, went
to Duluth this afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Blanchard, Mrs.
Geo. LePlant, Miss Laura Hermann
and Mrs. Ben Sawyer and son went
to Elk River this afternoon.
Mrs. Joseph Weitzel, former Brainerd
resident now of Saskatchewan,
Canada, has gone to Rochester where
her serious illness will necessitate an op-
eration.
Mrs. L. R. Tanner, of Winnipeg,
Canada, has joined her husband, and
they will make their home for the
summer in the W. C. Cobb residence.
Mr. Tanner has charge of milling in-
terests in Brainerd.
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Arthur Friedheim and others of the
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is invited. Wm. Graham. 1916
Mrs. R. E. Dunham went to Du-
buque, Iowa Sunday to visit her par-
ents for two or three weeks. Be-
fore her return she will also go to
Chicago where Mr. Dunham's father,
George F. Dunham, is to be operated
on by a specialist.

STARVE THE FLY.

The best method to prevent
houseflies from breeding is to
observe strict cleanliness in the
homes and on the streets. This
method was successfully carried
out along the Panama canal in
the campaign against malaria
and yellow fever, which are con-
veyed from one person to another
by mosquitoes.
Don't give the deadly fly a
chance!
Keep the house free of food for
flies!
Starve him out!

His Little Joke.
He—Yes, I pass most of my time be-
tween Boston and New York. She—
But I thought you were studying at
Yale. He—Well, that's between Bos-
ton and New York, isn't it?—Boston
Transcript.

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**BILL TO CONTROL
FOOD IS PASSED**

House Inserts Drastic Prohibi-
tion Amendments.

PRESIDENT HAS BROAD POWERS

Use of Food, Food Material or Feeds
in the Manufacture of Alcohol or
Alcoholic Beverages Is Forbidden
for Duration of War—Measure Is
Disposed of by Vote of 355 to 5.

Washington, June 25.—The admin-
istration food control bill, giving the
president broad authority to control
the distribution of food, feed and fuel
for war purposes and appropriating
\$152,500,000 for its enforcement and
administration, was passed by the
house after far-reaching prohibition
provisions had been written into it.
The vote was 355 to 5. Representa-
tives McLenore, Slayden and Young
of Texas, Democrats; and Woelker,
Missouri; and Ward, New York, Re-
publicans, voting in the negative.
Prohibition provision adopted would
prevent use of foodstuffs for manufac-
ture of alcoholic beverages and would
give the president authority to take
over for war purposes all liquor now
on hand. The bill now goes to the
senate, where it probably will be sub-
stituted early this week for a similar
measure already under consideration.
Leaders hope to get the measure to
conference by July 1.

Several Important Changes.
The most important changes made
by the house outside the prohibition
section were limiting the control pow-
ers of the president to articles specifi-
cally mentioned by the bill and sub-
jecting voluntary aids in control work
to the penal provision. The text of
the Barkley amendment follows:
"No person shall use any food, food
materials or feeds in the production
of alcohol or of alcoholic beverages,
except for government, industrial,
scientific or sacramental purposes.
Any persons who willfully violates this
section shall, upon conviction thereof,
be punished by a fine of not exceed-
ing \$5,000 or by imprisonment for not
more than two years or both."
There was a hot debate over the
prohibition features. Wets and dries
accused each other of unfairness.
An amendment was adopted provid-
ing that all persons employed in ad-
ministration of the food law, except
those serving without compensation,
shall be appointed under civil service
law.

President Can Seize Liquors.
After several hours of parliamentary
sparring the prohibition element got
the upper hand and forced adoption of
amendments forbidding use of any
foodstuffs during the war for making
intoxicants and giving the president
authority to take over in his discre-
tion all stocks of distilled liquors.
The amendment designed to cut off
manufacture of liquors was adopted,
132 to 114. It was submitted by Rep-
resentative Barkley of Kentucky, Dem-
ocrat, and would provide that no food,
food material or feed, could be used
during the war for the manufacture of
alcohol or alcoholic beverages except
for governmental, industrial, scientific,
medicinal or sacramental purposes.
On the amendment authorizing gov-
ernment use of distilled spirits there
was no roll call and only a few scat-
tering nays were heard on the viva
voce vote. Originally proposed by
Representative Webb of North Caroli-
na it was accepted by Chairman Le-
ves of the agriculture committee and
was adopted on his motion.

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Washington, June 25.—More than
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in the American army and navy in less
than three months. Between 700,000
and 800,000 are enrolled and most of
them are armed, equipped and under
training. They will be joined at the
end of the summer by nearly 1,000,000
men from the millions who registered
June 5.
The national guard numbers nearly
200,000, nearly 75,000 actually under
arms, guarding against German plot-
ters in a thorough way, as shown by
the trivial damage the plotters have
been able to inflict.
The regular bluejacket force of the
navy, which already is trying its met-
al against the enemy in the wa-
ters off the Irish coast, under Vice
Admiral Sims, or on armed American
freighters, has been raised from less
than 60,000 to 120,000.
An entirely new force of railway
engineers for duty in France, to han-
dle railway problems behind the fight-
ing lines, also has been created. Prob-
ably 12,000 men have joined these
regiments.
June 30 Ends State Recriut Cedit.
Washington, June 25.—Provost Mar-
shal General Crowder has informed
the governors of states that June 30 is
the last day upon which enlistments
in any state will count toward that
state's quota of men to be selected for
the war army.

**VON BUELOW HOPES
FOR PEACE THIS YEAR**

Paris, June 25.—The Zurich corre-
spondent of the Petit Parisien quotes
Prince von Buelow, former German
chancellor, as saying in reply to birth-
day greetings from the city of Brom-
berg, Prussia, that he hopes this year
will bring to the German people the
longed for peace, a peace with com-
pensation for their sufferings and sac-
rifices and an indemnity which would
permit Germany immediately to re-
sume the position she occupied before
the war.
This is the first time Prince von
Buelow has expressed himself on the
subject of Germany's war aims.
Since Italy's entrance into the war
Prince von Buelow, who, at that time,
was a German ambassador at Rome,
has been living in retirement in
Switzerland.
It has been said repeatedly that his
presence in Switzerland was connect-
ed with German peace efforts which
he was supposed to be furthering.

TAKE CARE OF PRISONERS

Colonel Roosevelt Points Out One Red
Cross Duty.
Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 25.—In a
Red Cross appeal delivered before he
enlured the national and Red Cross
colors before the Oyster Bay Reform-
ed church at Brookville, Colonel
Roosevelt pleaded that the nation
should begin to think about the fate
of the American boys who may be
captured by the Germans.
Unless steps are taken immediately
to provide for them in German prison
camps, he said, they will be subjected
to hardships and starvation as were
the English prisoners before their Red
Cross workers could arrange to take
care of them.
The colonel announced that two of
his sons already have started for
France, and the others are to follow.

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New York, June 25.—T. P. O'Con-
nor, member of parliament, one of the
leaders of the Irish Nationalist party,
accompanied by Richard Hazelton,
member of the house of commons from
North Galway and secretary of the
Irish party, arrived here on a British
steamship.
The object of the visit is to place
before the men of his race and all
friends of Ireland the realities and
the issues of the Irish situation. He
expects to go to Washington soon.
Solomon's Temple.
The temple of Solomon was begun in
the fourth year of his reign (B. C. 1012)
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WOMAN'S REALM

REVIVAL SERVICES

Those Conducted at Salvation Army under Direction of Edwin A. Wilmer Meeting with Success

The revival services now being conducted by Revivalist Edwin A. Wilmer, "the little man with the big message" are meeting with unusual success.

The revivalist with his winning personality, his fund of humorous anecdotes and a powerful message has worked his way into the hearts of the people and Captain Belsham reports that a mighty revival is in progress, and that at each service sinners are seeking the Saviour.

At last night's service the Army barracks was filled to overflowing and the revivalist held them spell-bound as he narrated to them the story of Jesus, His love and His wonderful power to save. He pictured to them some of the wonderful conversions of the heathen black in far off Africa. He took as his text Luke 15: 1-2, and in a sermon full of deep thought and much of the word of the Master brought conviction to the hearts of the sinner, made him feel his weakness without Christ and when he was through with his message, invited those who felt the need of the Saviour in their lives to come and kneel in prayer and ask for pardon and salvation. After the invitation was given eleven souls found the Saviour.

Miss Lillian Paterson sang a solo in her own very pleasing manner and a little later Miss Paterson and Cadet Reed sang a duet. There was also a number by a male quartet.

Rev. M. L. Hostager was the speaker on Saturday night and delivered a forceful address on "A Life Worth Living." He also favored with two vocal selections.

Capt. Belsham is very anxious that everyone avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Revivalist Wilmer tonight.

Rebekah Club

The Rebekah club will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Russell, 1212 South Seventh Street tomorrow afternoon.

St. Paul's Guild

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's church will hold a very important meeting on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the guild hall.

Methodist Ladies Aid

On Wednesday afternoon, the Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will be entertained in the social rooms of the church by Mrs. Chris Kreh and Mrs. W. V. French. The change is made from Thursday to Wednesday on account of the Crow Wing County Sunday School convention which meets in the church on Thursday. Strangers and visitors are cordially welcome.

Marriage Licenses

June 21—Charles E. Sandberg and Miss Emma Carlson.

June 21—Frank Peter Goodman and Eve Ina Frenette.

June 22—Sam Johnson and Francis Alberta Fox.

June 23—Albert E. Ward and Alice B. Rhodes.

June 23—William Robinson and Della P. Evans.

June 23—Frederick Gerhard Drieling and Pauline Marie Kaatz.

GIVES HIS BIT TO RED CROSS

Secretary Fred T. Lincoln of the Chamber of Commerce, has received this letter from Rev. G. P. Sheridan, now at River Pine Sanatorium near Stevens Point, where he is regaining his health:

June 23, 1917.

My Dear Lincoln:

The Daily Dispatch has kept me informed regarding Brainerd's effort to do "her bit" in this great struggle for the supremacy of democracy over autocracy.

I have read with pride the article giving the Red Cross organization, it is all I can do to remain here and not enter into it, but at present I must be a loyal soldier and obey orders.

However I must have a part in the Red Cross campaign and I ask you to accept the enclosed, it is small, wish it could be more.

My prayer for Divine Blessing on the efforts put forward will continue.

Cordially yours,

REV. GEORGE PHIL SHERIDAN

Kaatz-Drieling

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo A. Kaatz was the scene of a pretty wedding at 10 o'clock Monday morning when Miss Pauline Kaatz, sister of Hugo A. Kaatz, was united in holy matrimony with Frederick Drieling, the ceremony being performed by Rev. William Rieman in the presence of relatives.

Little Vernice Kaatz acted as ring bearer, carrying the rings in the open petals of a red rose.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white pussy willow taffeta with an over drape of white chiffon and carried white bridal roses. The bride couple was attended by Mrs. Hugo A. Kaatz, matron of honor and Mr. Kaatz as best man.

The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, snowballs and masses of roses.

At 11 o'clock a sumptuous dinner was served. Traveling in a gayly decorated automobile the young people were taken to the train and left for a short wedding trip to Winona and the southern part of the state and will be at home at 611 Second Avenue Northeast after July 15th.

The bride is a most attractive girl and attended Brainerd schools. The bridegroom is a clerk at the Northern Pacific railway shop offices.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them unmeasured happiness and prosperity.

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Red Cross at the Front

This photograph shows only part of the nurses, surgeons, etc., of Freshy terian base hospital unit No. 2, now



in Europe for war service. This unit includes 25 surgeons, 50 nurses and administrative staff of more than 100 orderlies, chauffeurs, cooks, mechanics, etc.

Martyr Heroes of Red Cross.

The tale of victims to the "white flag crossed with red" is a long one. Medical men, nurses, ambulances bearers and helpers have fallen by scores, sometimes under fire, sometimes stricken by typhus. The representatives of the Russian Red Cross followed the advance guard into action at the attack of Khok-Tepe. Twelve of them paid for it with their lives; six were wounded. The Dutch on the outbreak of war with the sultan of Atchin sent a messenger to announce their intention of adhering to the convention. The messenger was murdered. The Italian Red Cross society during the Abyssinian war escorted the wounded to Massaua through a savage and hostile country. At Abba Carima fifty surgeons of the Italian army were killed or left for dead upon the field. Many fell under fire in the act of relieving the wounded; others were savagely stoned to death by the Abyssinians.



At the Best Today and Tomorrow

MEDICAL MEN IN URGENT DEMAND

Conscription of Physicians May Be Necessary.

ABOUT HALF ARE AVAILABLE

Out of About One Hundred and Forty Thousand Doctors in the United States Fifty Per Cent May Be Unable to Qualify for Military Service.

Washington, June 25.—Conscription of physicians to obtain enough medical officers for the army probably will be asked of congress soon.

The combined efforts of the general medical board of the Council of National Defense, the state committee of the board and Major General William C. Gorgas, surgeon general of the army, have failed to get anywhere near the number of doctors needed.

In addition to this it has been found many physicians who ought to remain at home are volunteering, while those who should go are not offering their services.

Brigadier General Enoch H. Crowder, judge advocate general, has recommended special legislation required to draft physicians will be constitutional and the general medical board is reported ready to ask for the adoption of a selective draft system.

A proposal placed before the board at a meeting here was of drafting physicians selectively on a basis of federal classification by a special medical census. It was shown there are only about 140,000 doctors in the United States and not more than half of these are available or desirable for military service.

Some physicians have not volunteered because they believe enough young men will be caught in the selective draft net to fill the medical officers' corps.

GENERAL WOOD MAY RESIGN

Minnesota National Guard Affairs in Serious Tangle.

St. Paul, June 25.—Although his resignation has not yet been requested by the governor it is rumored at the capitol that Fred B. Wood, adjutant general, will resign within a few days.

No accounting of the shortages in national guard funds or in the federal government's equipment has been made by General Wood. It is said the accounts are in such tangled shape that an accurate accounting is almost out of the question.

"Absolute carelessness and inefficiency" is the way officials characterize the situation. They say there is no charge that General Wood has been dishonest.

There is luck in odd numbers. Even 23 would be all right if we had the privilege of selecting the persons to whom it should be attached.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

MISS LOLITA ARMOUR.

Has Been Chosen Trustee of Institute of Technology.



Chicago, June 25.—The election of Miss Lolita Armour, only child of J. Ogden Armour, as trustee of the Armour Institute of Technology, has been announced. It is said she will be the first woman in the United States to take an active part in both the financial and educational policies of a college of first rank. Armour Institute was founded by her grandfather "to help those who wish to help themselves."

GREAT DRIVE UNDER WAY FOR RECRUITS

Washington, June 25.—Recruiting week for the regular army, fixed by presidential proclamation, is in full swing throughout the country with the army recruiting service organized for a great drive for war volunteers.

The president's proclamation calls for 70,000 men. Already a division of regulars has been designated for service in France under General Pershing and the men who respond to the president's call may feel assured they will be little delayed in reaching the front when the movement of troops overseas begins.

When expansion of the regular army to full strength of 300,000 was ordered April 3 the service was 184,000 men below that total. Since then about 124,000 men have been obtained and are now under training.

An average of nearly 10,000 men a day must be obtained, or nearly ten times as many as have been accepted each day for several weeks.

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"Why, he's all sound!"—Life.

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Auto Business Ends Friendship Between Two Men.

Redwood Falls, Minn., June 25.—Charles E. Lamberton, transfer man and garage owner and well known in Southern Minnesota, was shot and killed here. William Rosendahl, an automobile agent, is under arrest.

Friendship of long standing between the men ended recently when they became competitors in the automobile business.

WALKS HOME TO WIFE HE DESERTED FOR ARMY.

Chicago, June 25.—William Andraiss finished the last lap of his walk from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., to Chicago, and went by rail to his home and his wife in Elgin. Andraiss enlisted as a single man two weeks ago. His wife had him discharged. He begged her to send him his railroad fare, but she wrote back: "Walk."

MAY GO OVER UNTIL AUGUST

Drafting of National Guard Into Federal Service Delayed.

Washington, June 25.—Drafting of the national guard into the federal armies for war service may be delayed until Aug. 5 because it has been found that under the present plans for drafting the guard on July 15, July 25 and Aug. 5 the relative rank of its officers would be established on an unfair basis.

The national defense act provides that national guard officers shall take rank as of the date of draft.

ANTIS LINE UP FOR FIGHT

Opponents of Woman Suffrage Establish Woman Office.

New York, June 25.—Headquarters for the National Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage has been established in Washington. It was announced, in view of the coming fight on the suffrage amendment before congress.

Dr. Herbert M. King Dies.

New York, June 25.—Dr. Herbert Maxon King, a widely known specialist in respiratory diseases and medical director of a sanatorium here, is dead.

GIVE SERVICES TO NATION

Few Salaried Persons on Council of National Defense.

Washington, June 25.—Accomplishments of the Council of National Defense, its advisory commission and its committees, since the council was organized last March are set forth in a comprehensive report made public by Director Gifford.

Only eighty persons, according to Director Gifford's report, are drawing salaries and most of these are clerks and stenographers.

More than 100 highly trained men, the report says, are giving their entire time to the council without remuneration. Several hundred more, it says, are giving free a large part of their time.

TEN PER CENT AT WORK

Balance of Copper Miners at Butte Are on Strike.

Butte, Mont., June 25.—The copper mines in the Butte district continue operations despite the strikes called on them by the Metal Mine Workers' union and the electricians for higher wages and improved working conditions. The force at work, however, is about 10 per cent of the number usually employed.

W. H. Rogers, mediator of the department of labor, who was sent here by Secretary Wilson, conferred with officials of the two unions which have called strikes. Mr. Rogers will meet with officials of the Anaconda Copper Mining company, the largest employer here.

Corrected.

"Remember this, my son—if you want to make a hit you must strike out for yourself."

"You're mixed in your baseball talk. If you strike out you can't make a hit."—Boston Transcript.

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NEEDS FOR RELIEF WORK

Red Cross Funds May Last Only Six Months.

Washington, June 25.—New demands on the American Red Cross, disclosed by Eliot Wadsworth, acting chairman, shows the \$100,000,000 fund may not last longer than six months.

"The needs for relief work in nearly all the allied countries is looming so big," Mr. Wadsworth said, "that our \$100,000,000 easily can be spent in six months, even though the Red Cross practice every economy and give aid only to the most worthy causes."

For this reason Red Cross officials are hoping earnestly that the fund will be largely oversubscribed.

VISIT WASHINGTON'S TOMB

Belgian and Russian Missions Go to Mount Vernon.

Mount Vernon, Va., June 25.—Belgium and Russia united at the tomb of George Washington in paying homage to the American patriot and to the spirit of liberty and freedom which his memory incarnates. Over the tomb, were Belgian, Russian and American flags. The official diplomat missions from Belgium and from the Russian democracy pledged themselves and their countries to every effort at destruction of autocracy.

A semi-circle was formed around the tomb and Secretary Daniels introduced Baron Moncheur, head of the Belgian mission, and Boris A. Bakmetieff, Russian special ambassador. Each paid tribute to Washington and the ideals he represented.

Baron Moncheur and Ambassador Bakmetieff placed floral wreaths on the tomb.

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Your Flag and my Flag!
And, oh, how much it holds
Of your Land and my Land
Safe within its folds.
Your heart and my heart
Beat quicker at the sight;
Sun-kissed and wind-kissed,
The Red, the Blue and White!
The one Flag—the Great Flag—
The Flag for me and you—
Glorified the whole wide—
The Red, the White, the Blue!

DECLINE OF BASEBALL

President Ban Johnson of the American League has announced not long ago that if the war continued until next spring there would be no attempt to open the 1918 pennant season. As much as there is no present prospect of the war ending within a year, it follows that there will be no national baseball season next year. It will not be surprising if all the professional leagues suspend operation.

Things are drifting that way now. Baseball, indeed, has not been what it used to be at any time since the war began. Serious-minded folk—and there are such among the baseball fans—have felt ill at ease over patronizing the sport while the manhood of Europe was engaged in sterner work. Now our entry has emphasized the feeling.

We recall the British condemnation of tennis, cricket and football after war was declared, and Kipling's scathing phrase, "the flannelled fool at the wicket." England cut out professional sport, and most amateur sport as well. We shall probably follow her example, though we shall hardly go so far. The professionals in nearly all lines may have to quit, though amateur sports may be expected to keep up in a half-hearted way.

As far as baseball is concerned, it isn't merely a lack of public support that threatens the game. The war will decimate the ball teams. The draft is already taking its toll of players. A good ball player is a Q soldier material.

No professional ball! It sounds incredible, even yet. But this war makes all things possible.

COTTON STOCKS NOW USED

Cotton stalks that were formerly thrown away as useless are now to be utilized in making various fiber goods. The machinery for extracting fiber from this waste material was invented by a textile manufacturer, and is now being tested with evidence of success in Imperial Valley, Cal.

Many tons of cotton stalks will now be saved and converted into twine, cordage and burlap. It is believed that the pulp left can then be made into paper pulp or used as stock feed. Tests have been made showing a high percentage of protein in cotton stalks. Cattle have thrived on a diet of which this was a part.

Ramie, hemp and bean straw have also been through the machine and have been found to yield valuable and abundant fiber.

The present outlook is that all the Pacific Coast needs in paper products and burlap for cotton bales may be supplied, through the utilization of the cotton stalks grown nearby in the valley. Acres are being planted to ramie and hemp, too. Hitherto this fiber has been made from jute raised in India. This brings a new industry to the Pacific coast region, economizes where there has been great waste, and helps to counteract the shortage of the usual raw materials needed in paper manufacture.

IRONTON 10, BRAINERD 3

Ore Diggers Achieve Tremendous Victory in Eighth Inning, Amassing Nine Runs

GOULD GOT AWFUL HAMMERING

Talbot Substituted, Gould Back in the Ninth, Lane Pitched for the Ironton Team

Riding along on a 3 to 0 score at the close of the sixth inning, Brainerd was cocksure of a victory over Ironton at the Coering grounds Sunday afternoon.

Then the ore diggers from the Cuyuna range town shelled Brainerd's pitcher Gould and his successor, Talbot, for 9 runs and 7 hits in the eighth inning and for good measure added another run off Gould in the ninth the latter having been put back on the job again by Doc Edwards.

For seven innings it was a splendid game. Try as Ironton might, it could not break through Brainerd's defense, nor solve Gould's delivery.

Brainerd had made one run in the fifth inning when Templeton scored. Second Baseman Nystrom dropping Templeton's fly and Tanner's two base hit brought in Templeton.

In the sixth Brainerd got two runs, Longley getting a two-bagger. Diederich struck out. Talbot went out pitcher to first. Cook looked too formidable for Lane and he gave him a pass to first. Templeton was there again with his bat and his single scored Longley and Cook.

Brainerd men thought it was a sure thing victory for Brainerd, but then came the awful eighth inning. Lane cracked the first ball thrown for a safe hit, and made second on a wild pitch of Gould. Crann got a hit. Schmidt made first on a close decision. Brainerd calling it out and the umpire saying "Safe." Pratt's two-base hit brought in a brace of runs. Gould was derided and Talbot put in. Russ got a pass. Then more runs slipped in. Putnam went out short to first. Nystrom was hit by the pitcher. Shellington got a hit and more rolled in. It kept on until the total mass of nine runs and seven hits was achieved and Ironton had the game on ice for keeps.

In the ninth Russ scored. That made it 10 to 3 in favor of Ironton.

In the eighth inning, Cook whirled the ball to Templeton, bases full, and Umpire Faber called Pratt safe. A minute later somebody doubted the umpire's bean and a recess was taken. Faber retired. The box will be published tomorrow.

Ministry Resigns

Venizelos Head of the New Cabinet

(By United Press)

Athens, June 25—The Zambet ministry has resigned and it is reported that former premier Venizelos and head of the provisional Greek government will probably be named by King Alexander as head of the new cabinet.

Bank Call Out

(By United Press)

Washington, June 25—A call for a statement at the close of business Wednesday, June 27 has been issued to all national banks.

Wife Cannot Claim Estate.

Chicago, June 25. Edna Congrave, girl wife of Luther Congrave, who committed suicide in April, 1917, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Farrington of Aurora, cannot lay legal claim to the estate, according to Master in Chancery Morrison. Morrison finds Congrave was insane in 1912 when the marriage took place.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

National League.
Chicago 2, Pittsburgh 1.
St. Louis 4, 4; Cincinnati 2, 12.
Chicago 1, Cleveland 0.

American League.
Detroit 4, St. Louis 2.
St. Paul 6, 10; Toledo 1, 1.

American Association.
Indianapolis 11, Minneapolis 3.
Louisville 8, 7; Kansas City 5, 3.
Milwaukee 4, 3; Columbus 0, 5.

Burglariou Crabs.
Sand crabs in the West Indies during the summer live in holes on the seashore just above high tide mark, retreating into them during the day and coming out at night. They have a singular habit in their nocturnal excursions of entering houses, the doors of which in warm weather are usually left open, and taking possession of small articles of clothing, such as collars, neckties and stockings, which they effectually conceal in their holes on the beach.

CHARLES NASON WINS BIG EVENT

Thief River Falls Man Victor in Interstate Association's Minnesota State Championship

RECORDS MADE AT 600 TARGETS

Dr. W. A. Anderson High Amateur with 579, J. R. Graham High Professional with 575

The Interstate Association's Minnesota State championship, 100 targets, was won Saturday afternoon by Chas. Nason, Thief River Falls, 99, with 19 out of 20 in shoot off, on the closing day of the three days trap shooting tournament in Brainerd.

Second Dr. F. H. Allen, Staples, 99, with 17 out of 20 in shoot off.

Third F. A. Richter, Minneapolis, 98, and 19 in shoot off.

Fourth, Dr. W. A. Anderson, Sleepy Eye, 98, and 18 in shoot off.

Fifth Matt Youngman, Sleepy Eye, 96 and 29 in shoot off.

Sixth, L. J. Micka, Hibbing, 96 and 19 in shoot off.

In three days shoot, 600 targets, high amateur was Dr. W. A. Anderson, Sleepy Eye, 579.

Second, Dr. F. H. Allen, Staples, 570.

Third B. F. Veach, Pipestone, 569.

Fourth, Geo. J. E. Harker, Minneapolis, 566, F. A. Richter, Minneapolis, 566.

Professionals at 600 targets made: High man J. R. Graham, Chicago, 575.

Second, George Trent, Jr., Brainerd, 566.

Third, George Trent, Sr., Brainerd, 565.

Fourth, R. R. Barber, Minneapolis, 561.

Fifth, J. E. Dickey, Minneapolis, 559.

Sixth, H. C. Rinkel, Minneapolis, 555.

Seventh, J. H. Stair, Minneapolis, 546.

DuPont three longest runs:
B. F. Veach, Pipestone 108.
Dr. F. H. Allen, Staples, 98.
O. N. Ford, San Jose, Cal., 92.

Hercules three longest runs J. R. Graham, Chicago, 73 and 63.
E. L. Clark, Minneapolis 56.

Dead Shot, three longest runs, R. R. Barber, Minneapolis, 97.
C. A. Nason, Thief River Falls, 20.
H. C. Rinkel, Minneapolis, 71.

Fighting with Machine Guns and Even Revolvers

BY WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

With the British Armies, May 27 (By Mail)—Fighting with machine guns and even with revolvers, pilots of battleplanes are today making the clouds as hotly a contested battleground as is to be found on the earth below. Summer skies and fine weather have forced fighting in the air on a large scale.

One British pilot attacked by a German Nieuport, found his machine gun jammed. Immediately he put down his nose and dived fixing his gun at the same time. Relieving the jam he climbed back to fight and tore off every round of ammunition he had for the machine gun. The German, still apparently unharmed, continued to fight, so the English boy—less than 21—drawing his Colt's automatic pistol charged straight at the German firing seven shots at his close range. The German toppled and fell, his machine breaking in two in the air.

Here is the official report of another air fight which happened the same day. Names and numbers only are omitted:

"Capt. Blank, with three others of the same squadron, dived at a German aeroplane which they riddled with bullets and drove down. Then they saw four red Albatross Scouts and Capt. Blank engaged one at close range. Eventually the German machine got into a favorable position and Capt. Blank immediately put his machine into a spin. On shaking off the German he at once regained height and dived at another scout with whom he fought for a considerable time. He finally out-manoeuvred his opponent and the hostile machine crashed. Shortly he engaged another machine of the same type but he was shot through the wrist and the top of his control-lever was carried away. Although in great pain and flying at a disadvantage he succeeded in landing his machine undamaged on our side of the lines and then fainted."

While this was happening at one part of the front another battle was taking place at another only a short distance away. A photographic reconnaissance, with a small escort was attacked by seven German planes. A captain drove down one of the hos-

Swat the fly
Starve the fly
Slay the fly

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, June 23.
Wheat—On track and to arrive; No. 1 hard, \$2.50; No. 1 Northern, \$2.45; No. 2 Northern, \$2.44. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.13.

St. Paul Grain.
St. Paul, June 23.
Wheat—No. 1 hard, \$2.76; No. 2 Northern, \$2.71; No. 2 Northern, \$2.56; corn, \$1.65; oats, 65¢; barley, 98¢; rye, \$2.28; flax, \$3.18.

South St. Paul Live Stock.
South St. Paul, June 23.
Cattle—Receipts, 141; steers, \$8.00 @10.00; cows and heifers, \$7.25 @8.00; calves, \$9.50 @14.00. Hogs—Receipts, 535; range, \$14.90 @15.20. Sheep—Receipts, 120; lambs, \$10.00 @15.00; ewes, \$8.00 @9.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, June 23.
Wheat—July, \$2.14; Sept., \$1.87; Corn—July, \$1.55; Sept., \$1.47; Oats—July, 63¢; Sept., 53¢; Dec., 55¢. Pork—July, \$40.00; Sept., \$40.07; Butter—Creameries, 36 1/2 @37¢. Eggs—29 @30 1/2¢. Poultry—Fowls, 19 @19 1/2¢.

Minneapolis Grain.
Minneapolis, June 23.
Wheat—July, \$2.36; Sept., \$1.81 1/2; Cash close on track; No. 1 hard, \$2.76 @2.81; No. 1 Northern, \$2.71 @2.76; No. 2 Northern, \$2.56 @2.60; No. 3 Northern, \$2.56 @2.51; No. 3 yellow corn, \$1.65 @1.66 1/2; No. 2 white oats, 65 1/2 @66 1/2¢; flax, \$3.18.

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ROBERT WARWICK in THE SILENT MASTER
A Masterpiece of Mystery
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ROBERT WARWICK
"THE SILENT MASTER"
SELZNICK PICTURES

Russia Hard at Work to Achieve Democracy

Note—Following is the first installment of a graphic picture story of Russia hard at work to achieve democracy, written by William G. Shepherd, United Press staff correspondent. United Press readers have been noting Shepherd's cable letters from Petrograd during the last few weeks, but this is the first mail article that has been received from him. The second installment of Shepherd's story will be printed Monday.

BY WILLIAM G. SHEPHERD.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Petrograd, May 1 (By Mail)—All Russia is voting. Not only the men, but the women. There isn't any woman's rights battle in Russia. Everybody accepts the feminine right to the ballot as perfectly natural.

In all the history of the world, perhaps, there has never been so much voting by so many different sorts of human beings on so many different subjects, as there is in Russia this very minute.

Soldiers are voting; workmen are voting; moulders, machinists, wash-women, waiters, scrubwomen, servants, cab-drivers, street cleaners, railroad men, peasants—all are voting. They are voting for delegates to meetings; they are voting on hours and wages; the soldiers are voting on how to fight and on what orders shall or shall not be given to them; they hold meetings in the trenches, elect delegates and send them back to Petrograd to represent them in the national gathering of soldiers.

And while this storm of voting is under way the new government, alert and on its tip toes, waits to know the popular will and translate it into law. The government has no army behind it; and governments without armies are powerless. The army is behind the people—in fact, the army is the people. So long as the new government carries out the will of the people it will have the support of the army. Wherefore the masters of public opinion, like Kerensky, keep themselves in the way of knowing what the public will on any certain matter may chance to be.

The first thing that strikes an American in Russia is the fact that this new twentieth century form of wholesale war is going seriously to interfere with the king, business in Europe. Despotie kings are safe enough, if they have a professional army behind them and if their civilian subjects are not allowed to possess arms. But professional armies are killed early, in such great wars as this, and it becomes necessary to put workingmen and farmers into uniforms and give them guns and expect them to take the places of the professionals. This expectation went wrong in Russia. The uniform and the gun did not change the workman into a soldier. They only turned him into a workman with a gun and uniform, and if there's anything more dangerous for a despotic monarch or for any king who thinks he rules by Divine Right than a lot of workmen with guns, the worried little man who has been planting potatoes in the garden at Tsarkoe Selo would like to know about it. The coat may make the man but the uniform doesn't always make the blindly faithful soldier.

This is one of the newest discoveries in the history of Russia.

There was one brilliant second that

stormy afternoon of the revolution when this fact that the uniform does not make the soldier dawned on the Petrograd crowd that was crying for bread near the Finnish railroad station. A policeman struck a citizen with a club. Nearby was a group of Cossacks on horseback, with knouts and swords—a grim sight to a Russian crowd. But out from the group dashed a Cossack; he was a terrible looking as any Cossack could be; he wore all the terrifying Cossack garb, gift of the Czar; his face was black with the Cossack resolution which the Russian people fear.

He swung his sword and the crowd fell back, not knowing his purpose. The steel flashed through the air and a crowd of thousands of people beheld, for the first time in Russian history, the sight of a Russian Cossack killing a Russian policeman. The crowd cheered with delight. The cry went up—"The Cossacks are with us! The Cossacks are with us!"

This one incident, it is believed by some, marked the turning of the tide against the Czar. It developed afterward that the Cossack with the sword was a farmer from the Cossack district. The crowd soon learned that almost every uniform was only the disguise of some citizen like themselves. The rest was easy.

(Continued Monday)

Rowland Figures Yankees are His Toughest Enemies

BY H. C. HAMILTON.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

New York, June 23—Clarence Rowland, manager of the White Sox, who already has been voted the American league pennant this year by a majority of the experts, declares the New York Yankees appear to him to be the most formidable team the American league holds—aside from the White Sox. He believes that if his team gets away to a league championship this year it will be done with the Yankees trailing them into the home stretch.

Strangely Rowland does not count the Red Sox formidable in the least. The early season ride they had at the top of the American league, he holds, was merely a flash. He shares the opinion of other managers in the American league in declaring that when double headers begin to tear into the Red Sox the pitching staff of the Hub representatives will begin to falter.

The loss of Bill Carrigan is also going to have an effect, Rowland believes, and he declares a change in ownership can't possibly have improved the team's chances. Carrigan, he maintains while not the best catcher in the world, was the one man who could get sterling results out of Dutch Leonard's work and do it consistently. He has plenty of praise for Jack Barry as a manager, but inclines to the belief that a baseball club at its best always must have associations with its manager for several years as a manager before things can run exactly right.

The team that represents New York in the American league, young and peppy, Rowland declares, will cause more trouble than any of the others. Bill Donovan's young pitchers, mixed in with plenty of excellent veterans, added to the fire and spirit of a young outfield and infield, is going to get results. The hitting

Come To St. Cloud A BIG FREE BARBECUE July 4th

Given by the Pan Motor Company on its factory site where preparations are being made to feed 75,000 people at the greatest Barbecue ever given outside of Texas and New Mexico. Expert barbecue men from New Mexico are already making the preparations for this monster free feast for thousands. The most novel, the greatest and what will prove the most enjoyable Fourth of July celebration ever staged in Minnesota. Come to St. Cloud on the Fourth and see what a crowd of 25,000 people in "the biggest little city" looks like. Great racing program and amusements of all kinds at Benton County Fair Grounds, beginning at 2:30 in the afternoon.

First model of new Pan car will be on exhibition. Come and see the new car that will make history.

GIRL'S STATEMENT WILL HELP BRAINERD

Here is the girl's own story: "For years I had dyspepsia, sour stomach and constipation. I drank hot water and olive oil by the gallon. Nothing helped until I tried buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., mixed in Adler-I-Ka. ONE SPOONFUL helped me INSTANTLY." Because Adler-I-Ka flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of anything we ever sold. Johnson's Pharmacy.—Advt.

of Frank Baker and Wallp Pipp, he points out, is exceeded by only a few clubs, and will cause the loss of more than one ball game for the opposition clubs.

Egyptian Smokers and Madness.
An Egyptian smoker of hashesh is even a more helpless slave than the Chinese opium fiend. He knows that in the end he will become a madman, yet he rushes toward the awful goal with unrelaxed speed. With the strange exaltation which first comes to the smoker he feels himself floating from cloud to cloud or alighting in the gardens of palaces all his own. Most of the hashesh, which Egypt consumes comes from Greece. From the husks of the hemp seeds and the tender hops of the hemp plant the Greeks manufacture a greenish powder whose fumes bring the ecstasy its victims desire.

Snite Him Hip and Thigh.
The bugle call of Hygeia is sounding through the land, arousing all the people to form a snating band—
To snite the peaky fly at sight,
And snite him hip and thigh,
Till not a single buzzer is left to make a cry.

Because he carries death germs from many many flies that poison food and people and run up doctor's bills.
The powers that be have said "Exterminate 'the fly'." And typhoid, with the other flies, will hit the world goodby.

HIT THE LINE HARD IS SLOGAN

Daniel A. Reed, Secretary for War Council, Wires Brainerd Red Cross Headquarters

PERSHING DAY ON JUNE 25TH

Aim of Brainerd Red Cross Workers to Make the Final Day a Most Productive One

These telegrams have been received at Brainerd Red Cross headquarters:

Washington, D. C.,
June 24, 1917.
* Red Cross Headquarters,
* Brainerd, Minn.
* Great victory for humanity.
* North Central states will win.
* Hit the line and hit hard for
* final score. Your patriotism is
* magnificent.

DANIEL A. REED,
Secretary for War Council

This telegram came from American Red Cross Department of Minnesota:

Minneapolis, Minn.,
June 24, 1917.
* Red Cross Headquarters,
* Brainerd, Minn.
* Monday, June 25, to be nationally celebrated as Pershing day war fund of Red Cross for our boys under his leadership.
* Still short \$20,000,000. Minnesota's quota \$700,000 short.
* It must be raised and will be if the citizenship of Minnesota and the nation is aroused.

The gospel of the Red Cross War Fund was being spread in and out of the city today by earnest workers, with an idea of making the final day of the campaign a productive one.

Dr. J. A. Thabes, Mrs. Thabes, W. H. Gemmell and Rev. H. G. Stacey left this morning in the Thabes' car for Sebeka where a big meeting will be held this evening. They were to make stops at Pillager, Motley, Vernalda and Wadena enroute. Rev. Stacey will be the speaker at the Sebeka meeting.

County Agent Colquhoun, Mrs. Irma Hartley, Miss Flemming and J. M. Elder made up a party who went to Pequot this afternoon, where they will distribute Red Cross literature and encourage workers in raising all the year for the War fund.

This evening, Dr. Walter Courtney and George D. LaBar go to Staples, where a meeting is to be held and where Dr. Courtney will explain the call for funds for Red Cross work and the importance of giving freely, in order that our soldiers may have the comforts and attention they will require on foreign soil.

The canvas of the business section of the city was continued today and the ladies will have completed their house-to-house canvas by this evening. It is not probable that complete returns of the canvas will be made public until Wednesday as it will require some time to get the collections in and compile the report.

REV. W. E. J. GRATZ, D. D.

Distinguished Speaker at Sunday School Workers Convention in Brainerd Thursday

Rev. W. E. J. Gratz, D. D., who will address the Sunday school workers at the Crow Wing County Sunday School convention Thursday afternoon and evening, is not a stranger in Brainerd.

Three years ago he gave his lecture "The Bow Car" in this city which was received most heartily. He is a man with a message, yet he delivers that message in a very entertaining manner. He is a very popular speaker.

The association tried to secure him last year but his dates were so many that they could not get him. They feel fortunate in having him this year. He will speak both morning and evening. The convention will be held at the First M. E. church.

IN DISTRICT COURT

Case of Hirstad vs Butorac on Trial. Said to be Last Case of the Term

In the district court the case of Hirstad vs Butorac, personal injury case, is still on trial and is expected to be finished this afternoon. This, it is said, will be the last of the jury cases.

Following it will come two court cases, a county ditch appeal made by the Tobique Land Co., and the case of Small vs Anderson, an action by the receiver to set aside an alleged fraudulent conveyance.

The whole May term is expected to be finished Tuesday.

MRS. W. H. CLEARY PASSED AWAY

End Came Calmly and Peacefully on Sunday Morning at her Home on North Side

WAS OF HOME LOVING NATURE

Funeral to be Held Tuesday Morning at 9 o'clock From St. Francis Catholic Church

Mrs. Katherine Agnes Cleary, wife of W. H. Cleary, died Sunday morning from cancer following an illness of several months. She leaves a husband, and five children, Raymond, Walter, James, William and Katherine.

Her sisters were Mrs. M. W. Fitzgerald of St. Paul, Mrs. Alexander Tillisch of Spokane, Wash., and Miss Agnes McGrath of Stillwater. One brother, Andrew McGrath, lives at Stillwater.

Mrs. Cleary was born in Stillwater and attended school there. She was married to Mr. Cleary 22 years ago and they removed to Brainerd 15 years ago. "She was a devout member of the Catholic church and an active worker in St. Francis Catholic church. She was of essentially a home loving nature and was beloved by her family circle who are inconsolable at her loss. Of a kindly, motherly nature, she had friends by the score.

The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Francis Catholic church, Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney officiating. The request has been made that friends will please omit flowers.

BRAINERD'S ODDEST STORIES OF TODAY

A resident of East Oak Street counted the autos passing his home yesterday for two and a half hours. In that one hundred and fifty minutes one hundred and forty cars passed by.

Big articles on the Elks state convention were headed, "Johnston Elected." It wasn't Col. C. D. of Brainerd. It was a Minneapolis man who headed the state Elks.

Con O'Brien tells this one. He sold a woman some eggs and she took them home. There the man of the house inquired the price and she said 35c a dozen.

"Too dear to eat now," said Mr. Householder, "put 'em in the cellar until they get cheaper."

IN MUNICIPAL COURT

Officer B. E. Koehler after Those Who have Not Paid Dog Licenses—Other Cases Up

Mose DeRoche, Jr., charged with keeping an unlicensed dog, was fined in municipal court, sentence was suspended and he paid the dog license.

David Clark, taking magazine subscriptions who talked loudly on street corners and made himself obnoxious, was in court and later left town.

Andy Anderson, charged with being drunk, was fined \$5 and for 60 days was placed on his good behavior, under the supervision of Chief John D. Gile.

MRS. JOSEPHINE HILL

Widow of John Hill Passed Away at a Local Hospital, was 67 Years Old

Mrs. Josephine Hill, widow of John Hill, a drayman, died from a complication of diseases at a local hospital. She was 67 years old.

She leaves several grownup children. A daughter is Mrs. McKay of Cross Lake. Mr. Hill preceded her to his reward a few months ago.

BABY DIED

Kinney Converse, Age 2 Years, of Merrifield, Died of Appendicitis

Kinney Converse, two year son of Clarence Converse of Merrifield, died of appendicitis. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Leitner school house, Rev. W. J. Lowrie officiating.

Had a Very Bad Cough

This letter should interest every reader: "Last winter I had a very bad cough. I used medicines, but they did no good. I took one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it cured me. (Signed) V. DeKuster, Amberg, Wis." No substitute is as good as Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

PRESIDENT CALLS FOR 70,000 MEN

Asks for Men Between the Ages of 18 and 40 Years Who Have No Dependents

ENLIST BETWEEN JUNE 23 and 30

In a Sense This may be Termed the Last Call for Volunteers for the Regular Army

President Wilson in a formal proclamation issued today a call for 70,000 volunteers to fill up the ranks of the regular army. The proclamation reads as follows:

Washington, D. C.,
June 20, 1917.

"I hereby designate the period June 23 to 30 next as recruiting for the regular army and call upon unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 40 years who have no dependents and who are not engaged in pursuits vitally necessary to the prosecution of the war, to present themselves for enlistment during the week herein designated to the number of 70,000."

Signed,
WOODROW WILSON.

Approximately 70,000 men are needed to bring the regular army to full war strength of approximately 300,000 men.

In a sense this call of President Wilson may be termed the last call for volunteers for the regular army. Of late the eligible men of the country have not been coming forward in large numbers to enlist for the period of the war. Friday, for example, the acceptances at recruiting depots aggregated 1,178. Army officers would like to see 10,000 a day, and they expressed the hope today that the drive on recruiting offices would begin soon and not be delayed.

The Northwest District of Minnesota is at the present time 865 men short of their quota, which means that 167 men must enlist each day until June 30, to fill Minnesota's quota for the Regular Army.

Since April 6th, 22 men have enlisted from Brainerd alone. 72 men have been sent from the Brainerd office, but Brainerd has not furnished one-half the number that it should have.

At the Best Theatre

Robert Warwick's second Selznick Picture, "The Silent Master," will be the attraction at the Best Theatre Today and Tomorrow. The story is from E. Phillips Oppenheimer's popular novel, "The Court of St. Simon." The director, Leonce Perret, who was brought from France by Harry Raft to take charge of the Warwick production, will be introduced to American audiences in this feature, although many of his 308 French successes have been seen here without due credit given their presiding genius.

"The Silent Master" takes its name from a young man of wealth who forms an alliance for philanthropic purposes with the Apaches of Paris. He brings to a secret tribunal, the Court of St. Simon, powerful and unscrupulous persecutors of the poor who cannot be reached by law, and punishes them in his own way. Innocently, he introduces to a career of crime the brother of the woman he later meets and loves. Fearing to lose her affection he denies knowing the brother, when he finally discovers the relationship. After marriage the truth is discovered, and the manner in which "The Silent Master" wins back his place in his wife's affections is an absorbing story.

Supporting Mr. Warwick in this production is a remarkable cast of prominent players. Olive Tell, the leading woman, is a famous beauty with unusual dramatic talent. Anna Little has starred in numerous pictures. Henri Valbel is a noted character actor from the Comedie Francaise and l'Oden, Paris. Donald Galaher is one of the most popular of American leading men. Other members of the cast are Valentine Petit, George Clarke and Little Juliette Moore.

The production is unusually spectacular, and will be a worthy successor to Mr. Warwick's recent success, "The Argyle Case."

He Almost Fell Down

A. M. Hunsacker, Bogue Chitto, Miss., writes: "I suffered from rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble, also dizziness; would almost fall down at times. Foley's Kidney Pills gave me entire relief. Disordered kidneys give warning by pains in side and back, sore muscles, swollen joints, tired and languid feeling. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv."

READ THE DISPATCH WANT ADS

MUSICIANS FOR REGIMENTAL BAND

Those of Conscription Age Offered an Opportunity to "Come in Out of the Draft"

SUPERIOR, WIS., STARTING SAME

Louis Stellenberger is Recruiting Men for Band and Needs More Musicians to Fill Ranks

Musicians of this vicinity who are of conscription age are being offered an opportunity to "come in out of the draft" and others a chance to "do their bit" where they can do it best and most to their liking, through enlistment in a regimental band the membership of which will be recruited entirely from northwestern points.

Louis Stellenberger of Superior, Wis., for many years a band director, having charge of the Superior City band for more than 10 years, is recruiting men for a regimental organization and needs a few more musicians to fill his ranks. He desires to secure the infirm from this section in order to make the organization the more representative. He will receive applications which should be made at once and sent to his home in Superior.

Service in a regimental band is ranked as the most attractive of any for which it is possible for a bandman to enlist, according to soldiers who served on the Mexican border. Mr. Stellenberger's proposition should appeal to local musicians who will enter the army either under the draft or entirely voluntarily as they are thus given an opportunity to exercise their talents and to be with men from their own section, both of which may be denied them otherwise.

Airedales at War

BY J. HORACE LYTLE
(From the Kennel Review)

The great European war—in which America has also become entangled—has found new and important uses for that great breed of dogs, the Airedale Terrier. He is more than playing his part in the world-wide, momentous struggle.

Originally bred in England, in the valley of the Aire River, developed with no end in view greater than utility, he is the ideal dog today for war duties. He has well been named "The most self-contained dog"—one of his most valuable traits when he is considered for purposes of war. He is never unduly excited or disturbed even under the greatest strains of terror. His sagacity, fidelity, nose and hardiness stand him in great stead.

The Airedale was bred originally for a real working terrier—and he is actually all that has ever been expected of him. By instinct and training his senses have been developed towards the end of value. He is without peer in the world of dogdom for intelligence. No dog can boast greater gameness, none has a keener nose, he is supreme in the water, and his size (he is the largest of all terriers) stands him in good stead. He never seeks trouble—but is always ready for it when it comes. He is the most self-contained of all canines. And that is what is necessary in a soldier, whether he be man or beast.

The Airedale is almost universally healthy, and his heavy double coat enables him to stand even the most severe climate. He adapts himself anywhere, from the equator to the North Pole, and from the home to the battle field.

From the Otter Hound the Airedale inherits a nose as keen as any of the hound family. This valuable nose is backed up by a sense of hearing that may boast no superior. In their native land experiments have been made at Scotland Yard which prove that the Airedale can detect sounds too far away by hundreds of yards for the most acute ear. In the English army they put this faculty into practical service: The Airedales are trained not to bark at strange sounds in trench warfare, especially at night, but to utter low growls—and in this manner give warning of any stealthy approach of the enemy. By both scent and hearing the Airedales can do this when the human ear could not enable the soldiers to detect the presence of danger. The degrees of the dog's growl indicate the nearness of the danger in these cases. They are trained to express themselves just a little more positively as the danger is greater, or otherwise. No other breed would lend itself to such subtle training.

In the ambulance service the Airedale is also most valuable; he can tell better than any human, whether or not life is extinct. The dogs are taught to go about the fields of slaughter and single out those of the wounded in whom there are yet signs of life—any many of these are thus saved who would otherwise perish.



Trimmed Hats at \$1.98 Trimmed Hats at \$2.98

We are now at the place where we mark our hats at ridiculous prices to effect a rapid clearance. The hats in these lots were formerly priced at \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. They are remarkable values. Will they interest you?

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

MUST FILL RANKS OF ARMY AND THE NATIONAL GUARD

(Continued from page 1)

you can not do if drafted, and see if we can't make a long roll of honor for Brainerd.

Since April 21st, 1917 twenty-two men have enlisted for the Army from this city. Their names follow. Get your name here and let the people know you have answered.

Fritz R. Jager.
Fred C. Hanson.
Floyd M. Warner.
Arthur Halliday.
Donald E. Simmons.
Arthur W. Lind.
Werner W. Hemstead, Jr.
Ernest J. Wajeskowki.
Arthur J. Hanson.
Floyd M. Hall.
Earl J. Golenboske.
Ralph C. Falconer.
Wm. H. Evans.
Edwin R. Blake.
Lawrence C. Hiler.
Joseph Lambert.
Nels J. Gardner.
Wm. S. Rich.
Lamonte P. Koop.
Oscar F. Magnuson.
Joseph Engelert.
Hughey W. Dayton.

Pay for Service

To make it plain to the man who enlists what the government pays for his service it may be said:

The private soldier, upon enlisting receives a salary of \$30 per month, payable monthly. His first promotion is to that of the grade of corporal, which pays a salary of \$36 per month. His next, to that of sergeant, paying \$38 per month; and so on up through the enlisted grades. All of these positions carry with them free medical attendance, clothing, dentist work and board. The term of enlistment is only for the period of the present war.

Considering the cost of living at the present time, it can be seen that the salaries paid, with the auxiliaries in shape of board, medical attendance etc., are equivalent to good salaries paid those in civilian life.

Promotion

A regiment requires about 400 non-commissioned officers. Of the hundreds of regiments to be raised, it can be plainly seen that the chance for promotion will be great.

Any man enlisting at this time, of good moral character, can become a non-commissioned officer within a short time.

After the selective draft, practically all appointments to the grade of second lieutenant will be made from the ranks and hundreds of men will undoubtedly be made commissioned officers within a short time. Think this over carefully and ACT NOW.

Hard Work for Women

It is doubtful if there is any work harder than house work. Overwork tells on the kidneys, and when the kidneys are affected one looks and feels older than the actual years. Mrs. A. G. Wells, R. 5, Rocky Mount, N. C., writes: "I cannot praise Foley's Kidney Pills enough for the wonderful benefit I derived." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

A noble work for a dog, as you will agree! But what animal has ever done nobler work than man's greatest friend—the dog?

The highest praise for the Airedale is given by those who have seen his work on the bloody fields of battle in Europe. He even thrives on the battlefield by reason of his gameness, quickness, and hardy constitution.

Substitutes for Paints

are common and ruin your property. If it were possible to distinguish adulterated paint from pure paint by simply looking at it, the same as you would tell black from white, then there would be less substitutes used. On every can of

"Minnesota Paints"

is printed its exact contents which shows you it is all pure paint materials of the best kind with their own make of Pure Minnesota Linseed Oil.

Come in and talk paint with us.

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We Repair and Sharpen

LAWN MOWERS

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Saturday, June 30

USED CAR DAY

We have six exceptional bargains in used cars. Each one absolutely guaranteed to be in first class running condition. Must positively be sold on Saturday. If you want an exceptional bargain in a used car, do not forget

Saturday, June 30th

WOODHEAD MOTOR COMPANY

Advertise in the Dispatch

WANTS

HELP WANTED
WANTED—Silver girl at the Ramsford hotel. 1054-1912
WANTED—Pantry girl at the Ramsford hotel. 1054-1912
WANTED—Experienced waitress, at Dairy Lunch. 1050-1917
WANTED—A dining room girl at the N. P. Hospital. 1027-1517
WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Phone 392-J. 865-2901f
WANTED—At the N. P. hospital man for orderly work. No experience necessary. 1056-1917
WANTED—Dish washers and chambermaids at the Willard hotel, Altkin, Minn. 1045-181f
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 323 North 3d street, Mrs. H. P. Dunn. 1036-161f
WANTED—Carpenter work, shingling, or lathing. Address 422 Seventh Street North. 1058-1912
WANTED—Lady traveler, Beginner. Old established line. Salary, commission and expense allowance to right lady. McBrady & Co., Chicago. 1052-11

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at Mahlum block. 1041-1716
FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home. 623 North Seventh St. 9671f
FOR RENT—Seven room brick house, electric lights. Inquire 502 Vine St. So. 1059-1916
FOR RENT—Four room flat in Model Laundry building. See Slipp-Grunden. 995-81f
FOR RENT—Store room 212 South Seventh. Inquire Mrs. Lindner, Mahlum Block. 970-21f
FOR RENT—Furnished room with private bath. At Spalding Apartments, entrance on Fifth. 1042-1712
FOR RENT—Good house and barn and large yard at 1205 South Fifth street. Apply to J. S. Gardner. 1025-141f

FOR SALE
FOR SALE—Three fresh cows, C. W. Koering. 1057-1915
FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. 1307 8th street south. 1051-1813
FOR SALE—Baby buggy in good condition. Apply 615 N. 5th St. 1048-181f
FOR SALE—Seven room house at 510 S. 5th street. Phone N. W. 438. 1035-1616
FOR SALE—Fresh cow. Enquire P. B. Anderson, three miles south of town. 1044-1813
FOR SALE—Six room house, partly modern. Bargain. Inquire 124 Second Avenue. 641-2551f
FOR SALE—60 gallon gasoline tank and 22 gallons of gasoline, also tank house. Phone 144. 1040-171f
FOR SALE—Team of horses, weight 2200, \$150.00. Lewis Coryell, Houghton's jewelry store. 1030-1516
FOR SALE—Team, harness, two wagons and light box sled. Cheap if taken at once. D. A. Peterson. 999-81f
FOR SALE—Two four year old mares and one gelding, harness and wagons, \$450.00. C. E. Bailey & Sons, Barrows, Minn. 1050-1814

Wanted—My farm of 97 acres, the W 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 23, St. Mathias town, range 31. 60 acres ready for cultivation. Chas. Peterson, 623 Pine St. 1047-1816-w1

MISCELLANEOUS
LOST—A chauffeur's badge. Return to Central Hose House. 1055-1912
FOUND—Pair cars. Apply at Dispatch office and pay for this notice. 1046-1813
HORSES BOUGHT, sold or exchanged. Always have from 10 to 15 head on hand. Jones & Horton. 886-2931f
WANTED—To buy scrap iron. Bring in while prices high. Also all kinds junk. Jones & Horton, Hay Market. 761-2731f
WANTED—I have customers for residence property and vacant lots. List your property for sale with Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.
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FRENCH OCCUPY MORE TRENCHES

Have Retaken Almost All Positions Recently Lost.

KEEP GERMAN IN TRENCHES

Intensity of Fire and Accurate Aim of French Guns Prevent Teutonic Infantry From Attacking in the Region of Hurtelbe and Craonne.

London, June 25.—Aside from several sectors in the region between Soissons and Rheims and in Champagne near Mont Carnillet little fighting of moment is taking place. The French have retaken the greater part of the territory in the region of Vauxaillon which the army of the German crown prince captured in attacks in which they suffered extremely heavy casualties.

In the region of Hurtelbe and Craonne the violent artillery duel continues and the French guns have put down an attempted infantry attack by the Germans, the intensity of the fire and the accuracy of the aim keeping the men in their trenches.

The German war office asserts that east of Mont Carnillet, in Champagne, the French have been compelled to evacuate ground they captured from the Germans.

British Check Enemy Raids.
The operations of Sir Douglas Haig's army in France and Belgium have consisted entirely in putting down attempted enemy raids and answering the fire of hostile guns.

There has been no resumption of the Italian offensive in the Trentino region, but on the Asiago plateau there has been considerable artillery activity. To the northeast the Austrians delivered an attack in the Cordevole valley at Mont Seltass. The Italians stopped the attack and took the initiative, driving back the enemy and inflicting heavy casualties on him.

The operations in Russia and Galicia still have not risen in importance above patrol engagements and reconnaissance. These have been lively in Galicia.

Likewise in the Macedonian theater only small engagements by patrol parties have been reported, although east of Lake Presba the enemy has violently shelled entente trenches.

AVIATORS ARE IN DEMAND

Two Hundred Students Weekly Will Be Graduated.

Washington, June 25.—The government needs aviators, the committee on public information announced in a summary of what already has been accomplished in preparation for the great air service program being mapped out.

Eight hundred men are enrolled in preliminary instruction schools and the influx continues at the rate of 200 a week.

After Aug. 25 the government expects to graduate 200 students weekly into the advanced flying fields. It is expected that 1,408 men will be actually flying by Sept. 8.

WORKMEN IN BERLIN RAIL SHOPS STRIKE

Copenhagen, June 25.—Two-thirds of the workmen in the Berlin shops of the Prussian State railroads stopped work and walked out at 5 p. m. Sunday to enforce their demands for a nine-hour day, according to advices received here. The men, who have been compelled to work eleven hours daily during the war, declared it impossible for flesh and blood to continue such overtime labor on inadequate food.

According to the Vorwaerts the other third of the employees refused to join the movement. The German rail road unions are said to have voted to support the car shop employees in their demand for a shorter day and also for a wage increase in proportion to the high cost of living.

DR. VON SEYDLER HEADS NEW AUSTRIAN CABINET.

Amsterdam, June 25.—A dispatch from Vienna says a ministry has been formed, headed by Dr. von Seydler, who asserts the new government later will be relieved by a permanent government.

WILSON TO HONOR FATHER

President Will Place Memorial in Staunton, Va., Church.

Staunton, Va., June 25.—President Wilson has requested and has received permission to place a memorial tablet to his father in the First Presbyterian church here, which is being remodeled.

The elder Wilson was pastor of the church when the future president was born.

Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

If an axle bar and rear wheel on a shaft driven car are in perfect alignment and the axle bar is sprung or bent in any direction will the wheel wobble while in motion, or, in other words, can the wheel be out of alignment without wobbling?

A wheel can be out of alignment in several ways without wobbling, but there are only two causes for wobbling wheels. If the spindle or end of the driving shaft in a rear axle to which the wheel is secured is bent the wheel will wobble, or it will wobble if the axle to which it is secured is perfectly true but the wheel rim itself be out of alignment. It is rather a common occurrence on a crowded highway to see an automobile passing with one of its rear wheels wobbling badly. Others are seen occasionally also with a wobbly front wheel. It is more often, however, that the rear wheels run untrue.

My car has been run about 4,000 miles. The timing gears, which are of the spiral type, howled at first and now thrash. How can I remedy that? The second cylinder leaks oil and the valves need grinding very often. The rings are in good condition, and I keep the oil level at the proper height. Could a twisted connecting rod cause this? The car has a two point ignition system, and when using both plugs I notice a distinct knock.

Replacement of the gears, which are probably worn, is the best thing to do. They might be loose on their shafts, causing excessive noise.

The trouble with your second cylinder looks like a worn piston or one that is slightly under size. If the rings are in good shape try a new piston of correct diameter, or you might fit some form of anti-leak rings to it. The trouble will doubtless be eliminated. It does not seem that there is any fault with the connecting rod.

It is well to retard the spark slightly when you use two plugs as compared with its position when using only one to a cylinder. When you use two plugs to a cylinder they fire simultaneously in opposite sides of the combustion space and thus serve to propagate the flame a little faster than if only one plug is used. This is likely to have the same effect as if you advanced the spark a little, for it serves to put the maximum force of the expansion due to combustion at a slightly earlier time.

How can rim cutting be prevented? I am having great trouble with casing rim cutting on my car.

Rim cutting is due to underinflation. Get a new pressure gauge which you are sure is correct. Probably your gauge is reading too high, making it appear that the tires are properly inflated when they are not.

Will you please advise me how to repaint an automobile? By this I mean after the old paint is removed what the several coats of oil or oil and paint should be and the proportion of each in each coat. I would assume that better work could be accomplished by using thinner coats and more of them, though I do not care particularly for the piano finish, as I expect to use the dull gray paint with dark finish.

Apply a preparation called priming lead. About ten pounds of this will be sufficient. After applying this coating and rubbing it down smoothly several paint coats are then put on, the mixture being as follows: One pound of paint of color desired, one gallon of turpentine, one-half pint of raw linseed oil, one pint of boiled linseed oil. After applying three or four coats of this paint and rubbing each down smoothly before applying the next the varnishing process is begun. Two or three coats of varnish are applied, each being rubbed down smoothly before the next is put on. The final or finishing varnish coat is not rubbed down, but is left as applied. The number of coats to be put on in each case depends largely upon the nicety of the finish desired, and of course the more coats applied the better the job.

Will you please explain the difference between a universal rim, a quick demountable and a detachable rim, etc.?

A demountable rim is a rim which, with its tire, may be taken from the wheel and replaced by another. A quick detachable rim is one from which the tire may be easily removed and on which it may be quickly replaced. A universal rim is one with which any type of casing, clincher, straight side, etc., may be used.

I am driving a 1911 car. I cannot get more than ten miles out of one quart of oil, no matter at what height the adjusting nut on the oiler may be. If the nut is well screwed down or left off altogether it is the same. Am I correct in thinking this amount is excessive?

Your trouble is very unusual, and unless your motor smokes considerably it may be due to a leak in the crank case or reservoir. If you will examine the under portion of your motor carefully you no doubt will be able to find out where the leak is, if there be a leak. It may be that oil is leaking from the gauge connections or from the pipes communicating between the reservoir and crank case.

How will running with retarded spark make the water boil in the radiator of a car?

Operating a motor with retarded spark will cause overheating by retarding and prolonging the combustion of the charge throughout the power or expansion stroke. Thus the cylinder walls are exposed to the action of the burning gases during the whole of the stroke instead of only during the time the piston is in the region of upper dead center, as is the case when the spark is properly set. If the spark is advanced to the point of most efficient operation the spark will occur some time before dead center and maximum pressure will be reached and the combustion nearly completed just after dead center has been passed. During this time, since the piston is near the top of the stroke, the amount of surface exposed to the exhaust gases is a minimum, and furthermore at this point in the stroke the compression is at its height, and combustion takes place with greatest rapidity. Contrast these conditions with what happens when the spark is greatly retarded. Let us assume that ignition occurs when the piston has half completed its stroke. At this point the compression is lower and combustion is therefore slower and will probably not be completed until after the exhaust valve opens. The hot gases are in contact with nearly the whole of the cylinder wall surface for practically one-half revolution.

But this is not all. When the spark is retarded, as in the instance just mentioned, the motor does not develop full power. Therefore for a given load on the motor the throttle must be opened wider, and more gasoline and air must be supplied. The extra heat generated by the combustion of the increased amount of fuel thus adds its share to the already overheated motor.

I have a car which runs well on level ground, but when on a hilly or a rough road it will stop; also the engine can be stopped by standing on the running board, but is all right when the car is level. What is the trouble and the remedy?

One of two sources of trouble is responsible—either ignition or fuel line, that is evident. If you are certain there are no loose connections in the ignition system it must be in the gasoline line. If this is the case the motor will not stop immediately when one stands on the running board, but will run a few moments until the fuel in the carburetor is exhausted—that is, unless the needle valve is loose, in which case it might be accidentally closed by tipping the car, but not by getting on the running board. Loose ignition connections is the most likely trouble.

What is the meaning of or distinction between irreversible, semi-irreversible and reversible steering gears?

Keeping in mind the common type of car which is steered by the front road wheels, an irreversible steering gear is one whose design is such that the road wheels can be turned in any desired direction by operating the steering wheel, but the steering wheel cannot be turned by actuation of the road wheels. A semi-irreversible steering gear is a design in which it is possible to move the steering wheel by turning the road wheels, but so much effort would be required as to make the operation difficult. A semi-irreversible steering gear, therefore, is a reversible one, though it exhibits a strong tendency toward irreversibility. A reversible steering gear might be said to be one in which it is possible to move or operate the steering wheel by turning the front road wheels on their vertical axes.

It is desirable to have the steering gear of an automobile as nearly irreversible as possible; otherwise, should the road wheels strike a stone or get into a rut in the road which would tend to deflect them, the motion would be transmitted back through the steering mechanism to the steering wheel, causing it to revolve. This reversing of the action is very annoying and dangerous, as the driver always must have a very tight grip on the wheel so as to prevent this deflection, which might easily cause disaster.

I have changed the 30 by 3 inch front wheels and tires on my car to 30 by 3 1/2 inch in order to have the same size all around. How much more than a mile will I have to travel before the speedometer registers one mile?

Unless you have replaced the entire wheels you should not have changed your 30 by 3 for 30 by 3 1/2, as the rim profile for a 30 by 3 tire is different from that of a 30 by 3 1/2. In changing your equipment from 30 by 3 to 30 by 3 1/2 on the same wheel it would be necessary to cut the felly of the wheel one-half inch all the way around and buy a new rim of different profile. Without changing either the wheel or the rim you can use a 21 by 3 1/2 tire, in which case the distance traveled by the car would be 3.33 per cent greater than the speedometer reading would show. If you change the wheels, and rims and use the 30 by 3 1/2 size in place of the 30 by 3 your speedometer reading would not be affected.

MILITARY MEN WANT FREE RUN

Object to Taking Orders From Civil Officials.

IT WAS ALWAYS THIS WAY

In the Civil War Commanders on the Potomac Criticized Actions of Secretary Stanton—Army, Navy and Marine Officers Think They Could Rush All Necessary Preparations.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, June 25.—[Special.]—It is the story of every war in which the United States has been engaged that military and naval men complain about the interference of the civil officers placed above them. There was not so much of it in the Spanish war because that conflict did not last long enough to bring out many differences between the commanders in the field and the civilian secretaries and president at home.

In the civil war, however, every commander of the army of the Potomac, particularly General McClellan and his supporters, severely criticized the manner in which the president and Secretary Stanton curbed them, disregarded their requests and interfered with their military plans and operations. General Grant makes rather caustic remarks about the manner in which Secretary Stanton undertook to supervise his orders when he had supreme command, but he always had the backing of Lincoln.

Same Complaints Now Heard.

"Why in the world don't they put army, navy and marine officers in charge and let them go ahead and do the work which is to be done if we are to make any kind of a showing in this war?"

The question was asked by a person who comes in contact with high officers of the army and navy every day. That query was but a part of the gossip heard where army and navy men congregate. It shows that military men are far from satisfied with what is going on. It is the same old complaint about having men in supreme command in military affairs who know little about actual warfare.

"One Man" In War.

Senator Newlands of Nevada was favoring giving the president greater powers to conduct the war and was opposed by Senator Reed of Missouri. Newlands had stated that in every war success depended upon one man. Reed asked him what one man was conducting the war for England, and Newlands replied that "unfortunately there was not one."

"She is putting up the greatest fight that has been waged in history," replied Reed and asked what one man was making the fight for France, to which Newlands replied that the "war was not being won." Then Reed asked what one man was making the fight for Germany.

"The emperor," promptly responded Newlands.

"The emperor?" Reed repeated in contempt. "I deny that. If it had not been for Hindenburg the emperor would have been licked long ago, and a lot of others with him."

A Bit of Post Mortem.

Congressman Osborne of California, a Republican, wanted a liberal policy for rivers and harbors and went back into the last campaign to hold a brief postmortem. "When the Republican nominee spoke at Minneapolis," said Osborne, "he took an adverse position on rivers and harbors. Immediately afterward he proceeded upon that ill fated mission to the Pacific coast. I ask my Republican friends who are opposing this bill if they are enamored of the results last fall in California and Oregon."

Gallinger Attends Sessions.

Few senators are so constant in their attendance in the senate as the oldest member, both in years and point of service. Senator Gallinger recently gave testimony to his constant attendance just after Senator Owen of Oklahoma had delivered a speech in favor of more effective cloture than what he termed the "makeshift" adopted at the beginning of the session.

"I heard this speech of the senator from Oklahoma the first time he made it," remarked Gallinger, "and I have heard it twenty-five times during the last two years."

Failed to Nail Him.

When a man comes out strong for something different from what he has heretofore advocated it becomes the pleasure of another man to spring his record and nail him. Thus when Howard of Georgia was speaking against the rivers and harbors bill he was interrupted by Sears of Florida, who asked: "Did you vote for the last bill or against it?"

"Well, I have forgotten," replied Howard. "I have done so many foolish things that I might have voted for it."

Nelson's Story.

In the course of a short speech the other day Senator Nelson of Minnesota said that the war was not an unmixed evil in the eyes of some people. He said, "I have just received a letter from an old farmer up in my state who says that he has sold an old cow for \$50 since the war began that was not worth \$10 before that time. Many other similar instances could be related."

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NEED MORE ROOM TO CONDUCT WAR

Departments in Washington Are Crowded For Space.

USE TEMPORARY QUARTERS

While Every Town of Any Size Has Been Supplied With a Public Building, the General Government Has Done Without—In Some Cases Land Has Been Bought, but Not Improved.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, June 25.—[Special.]—An effort is being made to rectify a mistaken policy that has heretofore been pursued by congress in the matter of public buildings for the use of government departments in Washington. It is now proposed to erect buildings, but good buildings cannot be built in time to meet the war emergency. This has caused the employment of several thousand additional clerks and filled all the present department buildings to overflowing.

In some cases heads of departments have authorized the construction of buildings in a temporary manner which can be rented and the additional clerks housed in them. This is the only expedient possible in the present situation, for the government finds itself without space to carry on its business. The mistaken policy. The mistaken policy of which complaint has often been made is that the whole country outside of the national capital has been supplied with public buildings. Every town of any size has had one allotted to it in the big building bills which have passed. Many millions have been spent on these small buildings. The general government has been allowed to use makeshifts, rent old rattletrap structures and get along as best it may.

Then a part of the mistaken policy has been to buy land in Washington for buildings and not utilize it. Congress has not been so much to blame for this, although in one notable instance no money has been appropriated for the buildings after many millions were spent for ground.

Does Not Like Figures.

The wise man, particularly if he knows the president, will not talk figures to Mr. Wilson. One might think a college professor would be a figure, but mathematics is not the presidential long suit. Thus it has been difficult to interest him in the revenue legislation. He wants to know results, but he does not want to listen to a lot of percentages and fractional conversation as to how those results are obtained. That is why he fights shy of every proposition relating to revenue discussion.

Republicans Stand By.

Although President Wilson has not shown much fondness for Republicans and has not consulted them often, even in the great crisis impending, he is fortunate to have many Republicans in both houses who stand firmly with him and help to pass his war measures. There is scarcely a war measure that has so far commanded a majority in both houses composed entirely of Democrats. Some of the best fighters for administration bills have been on the Republican side.

Spies in Government Service.

It is not such a surprising thing to find spies in the government service. Long ago one of the closest observers connected with the state, war and navy departments told me that there was not the least doubt about certain

men in confidential positions being spies. He was able to pick out some of the suspects and had good reason, too, for investigations showed that certain of these men were making themselves too familiar with the codes of the departments. These were discharged, but others were no doubt employed. In fact, it is difficult to determine who is a spy until he is actually caught with the goods.

When Champ Was Instructed.

A question came up in a tilt between Representatives Moore and Madden as to whether certain remarks by Moore could be cut out of the speech of Madden. Speaker Clark explained: "Once when I was making a speech which I had carefully prepared Steele of Indiana interrupted and asked a question in the midst of what I thought was a fine finish. That night I cut out Steele's question and my answer. The next morning Steele raised a row about it and Speaker Reed harnessed me up and interrogated me about it. I told him there was no sense in the question and it ruined the last sentence of my speech. Then the speaker kindly told me what the rule was and I have never forgotten it. If a man consents to an interruption he must let it go in, but if he declines to yield he can cut out whatever is said."

Why Not?

Congressman Emerson of Ohio has introduced a bill to give the inventor of a device to destroy submarines \$1,000,000 and to the inventor of a device to locate submarines, this to be used on ships, another \$1,000,000. And why not? The device will be worth much more than that. Almost any person, however, would be willing to have his name coupled with the greatest war in history as the inventor of a device to meet the greatest peril of the war even without the incentive of \$1,000,000.

FEARS NO ABUSE OF POWER

W. J. Bryan Endorses Measure to Control Food.

Washington, June 22.—William J. Bryan, passing through the capital, added his endorsement to the administration food bill in this statement: "A government that can commandeer the lives of its young men and call for the money of its older men should have power to protect the whole people from the greed of an unpatriotic few. I am not afraid to trust the president with the powers which the food administration bill proposes to confer. He acts in daylight and without a selfish interest. No president would abuse such power."

Sold Liquor to Soldiers.

St. Louis, June 22.—Two men were arrested on a charge of selling liquor to soldiers and six others were convicted on a similar charge as a result of the first step by federal authorities against lax moral conditions near Jefferson Barracks and other camps. Marshall Johnson, a negro, received the heaviest sentence, a year in jail.

Thirteen Killed or Injured.

South River, N. J., June 22.—Two men were killed and eleven hurt when a Pennsylvania train crashed into a bus filled with workmen near here. "A tricky man in business," said Uncle Eben, "is mighty likely to wind up by findin' hisse'f prosperous, but lone some."—Washington Star.